

PATENT  
Attorney Docket **056291-5268**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: **Magnus Polla** ) Confirmation No. **9146**  
Application No. **10/517,713** )  
Filed: **December 10, 2004** ) Group Art Unit: **1625**  
For: **2,5-Disubstituted 3-Mercaptopentanoic Acid** ) Examiner: **Taylor V. Oh**  
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 ) Date: August 28, 2008

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111**

In response to the non-final Office Action dated May 28, 2008, the time for responding to which extends through August 28, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the subject application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the claims** begin at page 2 of this response.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin at page 8 of this response.